

WILD BILL'S DEADLY AIM.

His Duel With Dave Tutt In The Public Square at Springfield, Mo.

"It was in the spring of 1865 that Wild Bill and Dave Tutt, ex-chief of Confederate scouts, tried conclusions in the public square at Springfield, Mo.," said Dr. Hogeboom, surgeon of the A. T. and S. F. railroad. "The war was over, so far as fighting in the field was concerned, but the peculiar vindictiveness that characterized all the warfare on both sides in Missouri still existed and showed itself in many ways. A strong force of United States troops occupied the town, the Kansas regiment to which I was attached among them. A picturesque and striking figure among those who had fought on the Union side was Wild Bill, whose daring and valuable services as a Federal scout were fresh in the minds of men. There were many ex-Confederate soldiers in town, and Tutt, a brave and desperate man and a dead shot, was the leader of that element. They lost no opportunity to show their ill will to the Unionists, and between Tutt and Wild Bill had feeling was strongly manifested. It came to the point of an open quarrel one night when Tutt, with his gang, came into a saloon where Wild Bill was seated at a game of poker. He had been winning, and with the pile of money before him on the table was a gold watch and chain that some one had wagered and lost. Tutt had come for a quarrel. He watched the game a few minutes, then said suddenly: "Bill, I want you to pay me the money you owe me."

"I have paid you once. Isn't that enough?" said Wild Bill, looking up from the hand of cards he held.

"Tutt reached over and took the gold watch and chain from Wild Bill's pile of winnings."

"You owe me that money," he said. "I'll keep this watch to satisfy the debt."

"Wild Bill looked at him with perfect calmness. 'Better put it back, Dave,' he said. 'You'll be sorry if you don't.'"

"Tutt laughed and put the watch in his pocket, which ended the matter for that night. Next day he sent word to Wild Bill that on the following Saturday at noon he should carry the watch and chain across the public square, entering it at the northeast corner. This was a challenge which Wild Bill could not ignore."

"I'll be there," he said when the message was given him, and he went home and cleaned and oiled his pistol. He did not show himself much about town until Saturday noon came. Then, as Tutt appeared at the northeast corner of the public square, Wild Bill walked in at the southwest corner. As the two men approached each other, walking from the corners diagonally opposite, it was seen that a group of Tutt's friends were gathered at the corner to the left of Wild Bill, and nobody present doubted that they were there to take a hand in the shooting if the fight went against Tutt."

"The distance between the two men at the start was about 140 yards. They walked steadily toward each other, with pistols in the belts, until about 50 paces separated them. Then Tutt made a motion as if to draw his pistol. Instantly Wild Bill's pistol came up, and, holding its butt with both hands, without sighting he fired at Tutt, who threw up his hands, staggered and fell dead on his face, shot through the heart."

"With the crack of his pistol Wild Bill wheeled and faced the group of Tutt's friends, pistol in hand. Some of them had drawn their weapons, but they put them up in a hurry and declared that the duel had been a fair one. Wild Bill was king of the town after that, as he was chief for many a year afterward on the plains and in the tough frontier towns."—New York Sun.

A Stepladder With the Match Receiver. "Do you see that thing on the wall there? Above the clock? That thing with ribbons on it?"

"Yes. What is it?"

"That's a match receiver. It is intended to receive burned matches. For instance, suppose I use a match. I extinguish the match and put it on the table. Then I go across the street and borrow a stepladder. I bring the stepladder into this room, move the sofa away from the wall, plant my stepladder and carry that piece of burned match up the ladder and drop it into the receiver. Then I come down from the ladder, put the sofa back in its place, take the stepladder home, and there you are! I tell you it's a great thing to have these handy little articles around the house!"—Chicago Record.

A Failure.

A.—Well, and how did you sleep last night? Did you follow my advice and begin counting?

B.—Yes. I counted up to 18,000.

A.—And then you fell asleep?

B.—No; then it was time to get up.—Pearson's Weekly.

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A Schoolboy's Definitions.

Frantic means wild; I picked some frantic flowers.

Athletic means strong; the vinegar was too athletic to use.

Tandem means one behind another; the boys sit tandem at school.

Dust is mud with the wet squeezed out; fins are fishes' wings; circumference is the distance around the middle of the outside.

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B. B. CHANDLER, County Supervisor.

Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of the late John Brown Sr., are hereby notified to present the same duly attested, and all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to make payment to.

ROBERT F. BROWN, Execut.

JOHNSON'S CHILL AND FEVER TONIC

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Sheriff's Sales.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG. In The Court Of Common Pleas.

W. M. Kinder, plaintiff, vs.

Harry Pressley, defendant. Judgment for Foreclosure.

Pursuant to an order to me directed I will sell at public outcry, to the highest bidder, for cash, before the court house door, on the first Monday in December next, during the legal hours of sale, the following real estate, to wit: all that certain piece parcel or tract of land, lying, being and situate in the county of Williamsburg, State of South Carolina containing thirty (31) acres more or less and bounded as follows: North by the Kingstree road, south by lands of J. P. Mouzon, east by lands of J. P. Mouzon and west by lands of Clare Mouzon.

J. D. DANIEL, S. W. C.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG. In The Court Of Common Pleas.

JAMES SALTERS vs.

BEN KIRKLIN.

Judgment for Foreclosure.

In obedience to the order of the court in the above stated case I will sell on the first Monday in Dec. 1897 before the court house door in Kingstree within the legal hours for making public sale, to the highest bidder for cash the following described property, to wit: All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land lying, being and situate in the county of Williamsburg state of South Carolina containing twenty-five (25) acres more or less and bounded as follows: North by land of Lawrence Brown and Tom Scott on the east by lands of Antrum McClary, and on the south and west by lands of Mrs. Mary Morris. Purchaser to pay for all papers.

J. D. DANIEL, S. W. C.

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M. J. SALTERS vs.

JAMES MCGILL, et al.

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In obedience to the order of the court in the above stated case I will sell on the first Monday in Dec. 1897 before the court house door in Kingstree within the legal hours for making public sale, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to wit: All of those two certain pieces, parcels or tracts of land lying, being and situate in the county of Williamsburg State of South Carolina and containing together one hundred and seventy-five (175) acres more or less and bounded as follows. One tract bounded on the north and west by lands of the late Jack Montgomery and on the south and east by lands of Albert Tisdale. The other tract on the north and east by lands of Benjamin and the public road, on the south by lands of S. A. Scott, on the west by lands of Albert Tisdale. Said tracts being the same conveyed to Sidney McGill by Derry Shaw. Hamlet McGill and Albert Tisdale by deed dated April 11th, 1885. Purchaser to pay for papers.

J. D. DANIEL, S. W. C.

CITATION.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG.

By E. M. SMITH, Esquire, Probate Judge.

WHEREAS Saml. A. Brown has made suit to me, to grant him letters of administration of the Estate of and effects of Y. Healdy Brown, these are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred the creditors of the said Y. Healdy Brown deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Kingstree S. C. on Nov. 22nd after publication hereof at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted. Given under my hand, this 8th day of Nov. Anno Domini, 1897.

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Leave Florence 7:35 p. m.
Leave Kingstree 8:59 p. m.
Arrive Lanes 9:15 p. m.
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Leave Florence 7:52 p. m.
Leave Kingstree 9:25 p. m.
Arrive Lanes 9:25 p. m.
Arrive Charleston 9:25 p. m.

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Leave Charleston 5:30 a. m.
Arrive Lanes 7:05 a. m.
Leave Lanes 7:05 a. m.
Leave Kingstree 7:23 a. m.
Arrive Florence 8:25 a. m.

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Leave Charleston 5:00 p. m.
Arrive Lanes 6:36 p. m.
Leave Lanes 6:36 p. m.
Leave Kingstree 7:55 p. m.
Arrive Florence 7:55 p. m.

No. 52.*
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